

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI
OXFORD DIVISION

LARRY NORMAN

MOVANT

v.

No. 2:08-CR-86-SA-DAS

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

RESPONDENT

ORDER GRANTING MOVANT'S
MOTION [65] TO AMEND

This matter comes before the court on the motion by the movant to amend his Motion to Vacate, Set Aside, or Correct Sentence under 28 U.S.C. § 2255. A "court should freely give leave [to amend] when justice so requires." Fed. R. Civ. P. 15(a)). Although not automatic, the decision to grant or deny such leave is within the sound discretion of the district court. *Bloom v. Bexar County, Texas*, 130 F.3d 722, 727 (5th Cir. 1997), *Halbert v. City of Sherman*, 33 F.3d 526, 529 (5th Cir. 1994). The motion [65] is well taken and is GRANTED. The instant Motion to Vacate, Set Aside, or Correct Sentence is deemed amended as of the date the instant motion was filed.

SO ORDERED, this, the 26th day of March, 2019.

/s/ Sharion Aycock
U. S. DISTRICT JUDGE